

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable reconsideration of this application as presently amended and in light of the following discussion is respectfully requested.

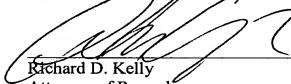
Claims 1-13 are presently active, and Claims 14-22 are canceled without prejudice.

In response to the Election Requirement, Applicants elect Group I, Claims 1-13, classified in class 370, subclass 238 and cancel Claim 14-22 (Group II) without prejudice.

Accordingly, examination on the merits of Claims 1-13 is believed to be in order and an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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